

REMARKS / ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-14 remain pending in this application.

The amendment to the title was filed on December 13, 2004, in response to a request from the Examiner in the Office Action mailed July 12, 2004. Correction of the title is requested.

Correction of the spelling of the inventor's name is requested. The correct spelling was reflected in the Official Filing Receipt mailed September 7, 2001.

Claim 7 has been amended to correct a typographical error. The last seven (7) lines of claim 7 were identical to the previous seven (7) lines of the claim and therefore have been deleted. No new matter has been added.

Entry is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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